

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Confirmation No. 4334

Junichiro YOSHIOKA et al.

Docket No. 2001 1740

Serial No. 09/990,387

Group Art Unit 1753

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Examiner Arun S. Phasge

SEMICONDUCTOR WAFER HOLDER AND ELECTROPLATING SYSTEM FOR PLATING A SEMICONDUCTOR WAFER

Mail Stop: Amendment

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Petition hereby is made for a two month extension of time to respond to the communication of March 24, 2005.

The fee of \$450.00 is

- (X) submitted herewith.
- to be charged to Deposit Account No. 23-0975. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.
- () Small entity status of this application is established by a Small Entity Status Assertion which
 - () is enclosed.
 - () has been previously submitted.

Respectfully submitted,

THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE FEES FOR THIS PAPER TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975

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